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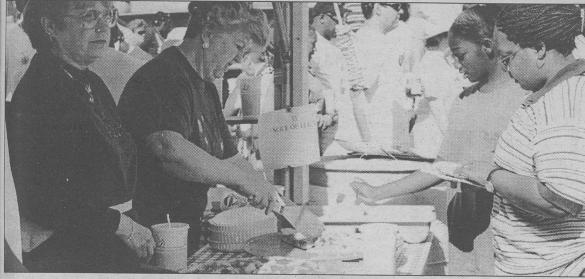
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Pizza vendors dish up a slice of Italy at the Taste of D.C. Crowds gathered during the weekend festival of food and music that stretched between 14th and 9th streets in Northwest Washington.

GW adds the Cortile Caffe to its menu

by Miya Wiseman Hatchet Reporter

GW Dining Services celebrated the newest on-campus addition to the GW meal plan Oct. 8 with the opening of the Cortile Caffe in the basement of Mitchell Hall.

The dine-in eatery will serve cheesesteak subs, chicken parmesan, mozzarella sticks and hot wings. Students can use the GWorld debit card or cash to purchase Cortile items.

Mitchell Hall Cafe has been renovated to accommodate the eatery. New seats, video games, a jukebox and a wide-screen television are some of the additions

The Cortile Caffe will be open the ame hours as Itza Pizza, from 5 p.m. to 2 a.m., offering students the option of carry-out, delivery or dine-in services. Both facilities are student oper-

Gayle Adler, director of the Student Association Dining Services Commission, said the idea for the cafe is not a new one.

'We've been requesting some kind of late-night dining area for a while," Adler said. "The cafe provides students with a safe place to eat, talk, or just have fun, even when it's late at night."

Adler said she and Paul Krouse, general manager of GW Dining Services, borrowed ideas for Cortile Caffe from a coffee house at Georgetown University.

"We liked how they did things over there," Adler said. "We'd like to have things like board games and Monday Night Football nights in the

"One of the biggest complaints from students was that there was no place on this side of campus to eat late and hang out," Krouse said. "We especially want to cater to freshmen and sophomores to make sure they have a safe place to do both."

Senior Stuart Washington, a Mitchell Hall resident, said the addition of the new eatery is a good idea. "People on this side of campus are pretty much secluded," Washington

Raul Gabam, a student manager at Itza Pizza, said he is optimistic about the idea, but he also said he hopes students don't take it for grant-

"GW students can get pretty he said. "Sometimes we get calls for deliveries and the caller lives right here in Mitchell."

Israeli leader addresses GW

by Matthew Katz Hatchet Staff Writer

Israeli President Ezer Weizman commented on Arab-Israeli relations, expressed gratitude to the U.S. government for its friendship with Israel and encouraged Jewish students to move to Israel in an address at Lisner Auditorium Oct. 8.

Weizman was presented a University President's Medal by GW President Stephen Joel Trachtenberg.

As one of the founders of the Israeli state 50 years ago, Weizman reminisced about Israel's progress since the state declared its independence in 1948.

He said Israel's original Jewish population of 600,000 has mushroomed to 4.7 million.

Weizman expressed gratitude to the United States for Israel's progress. He described the United States as a "very important partner in (Israel's) life.'

Though he acknowledged "negative feelings from the Arabs," Weizman said the Palestinians and Israelis eventually will sit down and sign a peace agreement, in the tradition of U.S. President Jimmy Carter, who facilitated a successful peace accord between Egypt and Israel in 1979.

"We live beside each other, and we have to decide whose is whose, what is what," Weizman said of the Arab-Israeli conflict about key lands in the Middle East.

He said it is important to contin-



Joshua Prezant/Hatchet photographer Israeli President Ezer Weizman

ue relations with Palestinian Authority leader Yasser Arafat. "Whether or not he wants peace or not doesn't matter, we must talk to him," he said.

Weizman also addressed the concerns of the audience, which was comprised mostly of Jewish students from universities in and around Washington. Weizman urged them to join him and live in Israel in the spirit of a new Zionism.

He said he foresees a time, 50 years from now, when a larger Jewish population will live in Israel than in the United States.

"I invite you all to join us for the next 50 years where Zionism will start," he said. "The next 50 years is yours, come and get it...If you are looking to the future of your children, Israel is the place to go."

Not only will Israel be stronger and more economically sound in years to come, Weizman said, but the state is learning from its mis-

"We should look into the 21st century, learning from what we did, good things we did and bad things

Weizman said he hopes one day the Israeli education budget will be more then the defense budget.

Student representatives from eight universities, including GW, the University of Pennsylvania, George Mason University and Georgetown University, were allowed to ask Weizman one question each following his address.

One student asked him what Jewish students in the United States can do to help Israel. Weizman said if students want to help Israel, "the best thing to do is move to Israel."

Adam Segal, president of the GW Friends of Israel, and the GW representative to ask the president a question, said support for Israel by American Jews is extremely impor-

Jews should travel to Israel at least once to draw nearer to Judaism, though they do not necessarily need to settle there permanently, Segal said.

"I think the point of (Weizman's) message was that

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UPD upgrades its escort van services by Susan Schultz Hatchet Staff Writer

The University Police Department aplemented changes in the escort an and shuttle bus service this year after more than 100 requests for better service in surveys and letters were ent to UPD by students, UPD Director Dolores Stafford said.

The budget for the 1997-98 academic year provides UPD with more than \$200,000 for improvements and additions to its services. UPD used he funds to purchase a new shuttle us and escort van, and to hire six full-time drivers, Stafford said.

According to a Sept. 29 letter from Stafford to students who live in GW residence halls, the shuttle buses run et routes between more than 12 wildings on campus including New the Aston and the Pennsylvania House.

In addition to the shuttle, the escort van service will transport students between on- and off-campus locations

Students call 994-RIDE to request escort van service. Previously, the vans transported students between on-campus locations, and would drop them off as far as three blocks off campus. Now, the vans also will pick students up as far as three blocks off campus, and drive them to campus.

Stafford said 85 percent of calls to the escort service are requests for offcampus pickups.

The shuttle completes a route with 14 stops in 10 to 15 minutes, Stafford

"We are encouraging students to use the shuttle bus service instead of the vans to take the pressure off the vans," Stafford said.

"The escort service will not pick up students from one off-campus location and drop them off at another off-campus location," she said.

The escort vans operate from 7 p.m. to 3:30 a.m. UPD officers on foot or in patrol cars also escort students from dusk until dawn.

The escort service is receiving twice as many calls as it received last year, UPD officers said.

Stafford said she hopes students will have to wait no more than 10 minutes for an escort van.

I have heard concerns from students about the time it takes the escort vans, but with these changes, they should begin to see a difference,' Stafford said.

"I think that the money spent on improvements for the escort service was worth it," said student Debbie

Hall is just the beginning of GW's name game

I gotta tell you, this administration of ours is pretty smart.

Imagine sneaking that little "Lafayette Hall" thing into our very own student planners without anyone noticing where "Adams Hall" Pretty sneaky, Papa Trachtenberg, pretty sneaky.

I think this new name changing game that Rice Hall is playing is awfully cool, really. Why, you ask? Simple: It keeps us on our toes. Imagine, if you will, returning from your GWinter vacation and getting your schedule from one of those

"GWhy is this out of paper?" Chernak's years of service to GW, the machines.

Now that you've got your schedule, find these places: Philosophy 113 in Morris K. Raifsnyder Hall. (Maury is a friend of my Grandma's who went to school here briefly and probably gave some cash, too.) Your journey is even more complicated because the new maps just call it "The Big Raif."

Your 2 p.m. economics class is not meeting in Funger Hall. Rather, it meets in the Chernak Hall of Higher Education. Because of Robert

administration decided to let him name a building after whoever he wanted. Kind of like when first-term congressmen get pork barrel rest stops in their South Dakota districts.

You've got to meet with your criminal justice professor, don't you? His office now is in the James K. Polk office cluster on G Street. (They don't know what Polk did for the University, but they figure it's pretty safe since nobody knows what Polk did at all.)

In a sad related note, the food will

always suck at J Street, no matter if real GW. You know, that No. 2 Party all the campus buildings get new names - which may be as early as January for us, folks. Get addresses of where your classes are when you come back from GWinter break, it might be your only chance.

Now in the past, I may have said one or two negative things about our

student leaders. In all fairness, I'm really proud of the way the Adams Hall name change issue was handled by folks in the ivory

Really? Are Tryg you feeling okay? Midterms getting to

Nope, I'm fine. I really am proud. The

sit-in was a great idea, executed to perfection. I especially like the 9 p.m. start time. At that hour, administrators (who were all home watching "Home Improvement") could see firsthand the anger of the student body. Way to go, folks! We'll be waiting with baited breath for more logistical gems from you.

Hot Dish with Red Jello

Comments about Mr. Olsen's rantings can be sent to 2140 G St. N.W.

Oh stop it. What else is going on? Welcome parents to the AT&T George Washington University, sponsored by AT&T: the monopoly that cares.

During this year's Parents' Weekend, I think it would be interesting to see parent reaction to the School GW. The one without all the shiny brochures. Like Tokay. Shouldn't that be the stop after Thurston Hall on the bus tour? My personal favorite would be leading parents by the supposed health and wellness center site. The thing is, does anybody really know where the

wellness center is going to be? (And if the Trygve W. Olsen Center for the Slightly Paunchy will be included?)

It's going to be across the street from Funger Hall.

Oh, no wonder Dorothy Miller is so concerned blocking construction at all costs. Have

you ever tried to find a place to park in this city? Gosh darn it, we need to maintain a parking lot with ripped-up asphalt that nobody ever parks on (mostly because it's \$4,000 every half hour).

On the slight chance the D.C. government is going to do something with that space (which Miller probably will fight anyway), we definitely should keep it the way it is now. I wouldn't be surprised to see Dorothy Miller running across that lot setting up dynamite and giggling, "If I can't have it, no one will!"

And once she blows it up, we can put the wellness center where it belongs: next to Raifsnyder Hall.



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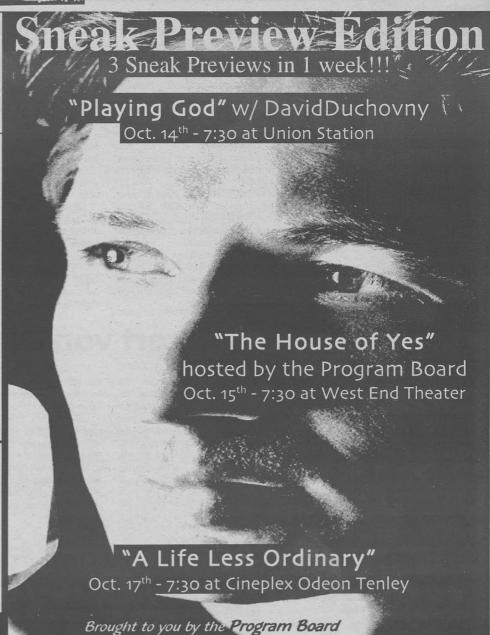
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Shalala, breast care center combat cancer

by Susan Schultz Hatchet Staff Writer

"A diagnosis of breast cancer is not a death sentence," U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services Donna Shalala said Friday in Ross

Shalala recognized that October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month and during the George Washington University Breast Care Center's seventh annual Jo Oberstar Memorial Lecture she pledged to fight the dis-

Shalala, GW President Stephen Joel Trachtenberg and Rep. James L. Oberstar (D-Minn.) highlighted work done to combat breast cancer, and emphasized the importance of further advancement against the disease.

D.C. has the highest number of breast cancer deaths in the nation, Trachtenberg said, and breast cancer is the second leading cause of death for American women ages 35 to 50.

The late wife of Rep. Oberstar, Jo Oberstar, a board member of the National Rehabilitation Hospital, died of breast cancer in 1991. Oberstar died after an eight-year battle with the cancer at GW Hospital. Since then, the GWU Breast Care Center has hosted an annual lecture in her memory.

In addition to treating patients, the GWU Breast Care Center offers support groups for the patients and their families, and the only mobile mammography unit in D.C., Trachtenberg said.

Trachtenberg said, "The mobile

sites and law firms to provide women without insurance mammograms."

Oberstar spoke in memory of his

"In the eight years Jo struggled with breast cancer, 300,000 women died from breast cancer," he said. The answer to eliminating breast cancer is research, treatment and education.'

Shalala said one of her goals as secretary of health is the "eradication of breast cancer.'

The overall mortality rate of breast cancer patients has dropped 6 percent in the past year, and in order to keep that rate from escalating, education and awareness needs to start in adolescence, Shalala said.

'Since the Clinton administration has come into office, it has more than doubled its efforts in the fight against breast cancer," Shalala said. But one student said the government still has room for improvement.

"In comparison with other projects and programs that the government puts money into, I feel that there is still room for growth," said Casey O'Connell, a first-year GW medical student.

The GWU Breast Care Center has provided strong clinical progress, interesting basic science research and excellent access to its patients," said Dr. Paul Shorb, the director of the GWU Breast Care Center.

Shorb said the departments of radiology, surgery and radiation at the GW Hospital have coordinated their efforts to detect and treat breast cancer effectively.

Although progress has been made at the governmental and local levels, Shalala said, "we still have miles to

Cokie Roberts and Tipper Gore are among past Jo Oberstar Memorial lecturers.

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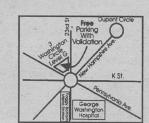
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Breezeway mysteries

Our very own Academic Center breezeway is at the center of a great mystery. Students who walk through it will notice the addition of certain decorative features not there but a few days ago. They might also notice several accessories that seem to make cameo appearances, then vanish without a trace. What is going on? Do Mulder and Scully need to be contacted?

Near the corner of I and 22nd streets, passersby will notice a large object, with several smaller of its kind, sitting passively on the grass. What is it? Good question. What it is and what purpose it serves vary according to student. Some say it is a pseudo–wicker basket. Others think it is a huge nest of some sort. Yet another opinion is that it will be a sort of teepee without a top where students can sit, smoke a peace pipe and peacefully conclude their conflicts. Rumor has it the Student Association has reserved the "peace nest" for the rest of the semester.

Students also may notice the disappearance of several potted trees that made a surprise appearance a few weeks ago. At the start of the trees' cameo, four formed a square. Then one of the trees moved itself to the entrance of the Smith Hall of Art. The other three trees made up for the loss of the first by arranging themselves into a triangle. Now they all have run off, possibly to find the greener, more environmentally appealing pastures of Mount Vernon College.

And finally, still missing from the scene are the benches. They used to line the sides of the breezeway and afford smokers a nice place to sit and fill their lungs with carcinogens. Now smokers are forced to squat on the adobe-style tiles, or to stand and puff. Where have the benches gone? Did the potted trees run away to join the benches in a more hospitable place?

The administration has been silent on the issue, but it can remain silent no more. Students are desperate for information on what is happening to their beloved breezeway. The bizarre appearances, vanishings, rearranging trees and missing benches are causing concern among the University community. Many questions need to be answered. The truth is out there. It must be uncovered and made public.

The Cortile Caffe

Students often complain about the lack of food choices at GW, as well as the quality of the food served. A new addition to GW's meal card options now is available for student use. The questions now becomes: Will students motivate themselves to walk there?

The Cortile Caffe recently opened in the area formerly known as the Mitchell Hall Cafe. For students who tire of the menu at J Street, or for those who, late at night, are hungry and want to spend only points, an alternative to Itza Pizza awaits them. The entire area has been renovated to make the Caffe more appealing to students. Video games, a jukebox and a wide screen TV are some of the new additions hoped to lure crowds of students.

The new Caffe has the potential to become a gathering place, similar to Thurston's dining hall, as the prime social location for freshmen. While the menu is rather limited, the possibility for enlarging it remains. And to those who constantly complain about GW's dining services, quit whining. While J Street and the Cortile Caffe may not be Mom's home cooking, it is a lot better than what some other universities serve their students.

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Words can have unforeseen impact

Michael

Brown

September, 1985 – My father, an international business consultant for Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceuticals, was an innocent victim killed by an act of terrorism in Madrid, Spain by the Basque separatist group ETA. He was on a morning run, when a vehicle containing a bomb with pieces of shrapnel exploded. This event changed my life. I was nine years old. My mom, sister and I hoped that such tragedy couldn't

come closer to home.

April, 1995 – I was sitting in J Street having breakfast when I saw on TV that building in Oklahoma City destroyed by a cowardly act of violence. After not experiencing a bomb-

ing so close to home in almost 10 years, I was quite frightened. I called my mother, and she said with a bit of sarcasm and a bit of fear, "Stay away from those federal buildings." Living in Washington, D.C. across the street from the World Bank and a day care center, provided me with quite a wake up call – I was yulperable

July, 1996 – I was working by Centennial Olympic Park in Atlanta, Georgia late one night for Coca Cola's hospitality program. When my shift ended, a buddy of mine asked me to join him for a beer in the park, and to watch the night's concert on stage. The line for beer was too long, and since I smelled from a 14-hour work day, I wanted to leave and get cleaned up, then return to the

park. We got back to our residence, and were ready to leave again at about 1:20 a.m. (No one slept during the Games.) NBC News interrupted the day's medal highlights to say that a bomb exploded in downtown Atlanta. I called my mother at home. It scared the hell out of us both. She wanted me home as safe and as quickly as possible. I felt vulnerable once again.

Fall, 1997 – First semester as a senior at GW. College Democrats hold its first meeting, which has to be relocated due to a bomb threat on campus. My campus. CDs advertise their next meeting with flyers saying it's "the bomb."

On ESPN's SportsCenter Stuart Scott refers to Ken Griffey Jr. and Mark

McGwire as "the bomb." My ESPN.

It's true that Sigma Nu is not my fraternity at GW. But when I saw the banner hanging from their house stating "Sigma Nuclear Party – It's the bomb," I got angry. Not at anyone in Sigma Nu, but at the frankness with which people casually use the word "bomb" in American society. I've used the word myself – referring to someone "getting bombed at the bar," or "hitting a bomb outta the ballpark." Nevertheless, my point is that our civilization is becoming more vulnerable; that should not be taken lightly.

The writer is a senior majoring in marketing and sports management.

Citizenship alone can't hide criminals

The fleeing of Samuel Sheinbein, a 17-year-old from Montgomery County, to Israel to avoid a first-degree murder charge blurs the lines of long-standing Israeli law regarding citizenship. Legally, Israel does not extradite its own citizens to face criminal charges elsewhere. In practice, Israel has not done so since 1977.

If Israel blindly interprets the extradition law, it is a safe bet that Sheinbein will remain there for trial. His father was born in Palestine in 1944, and left two years after the creation of Israel in 1948. As a result, Israeli citizenship rights automatically extend to his son. Therefore, the teenage murder suspect, who had never been to Israel and speaks no Hebrew, may not be forced to return to the United States for prosecution.

However, trying a person in Israel for a crime committed in Maryland has too many obstacles, including language barriers, geographical distance and differences in legal procedures. The state of Maryland intends to try Sheinbein as an adult, while

Israel may show leniency because of his age. Also, better jail conditions and the chance of parole are more likely if he is convicted in Israel. A life sentence in Israel "in essence translates to 25 years," noted Montgomery County States Attorney, Robert L. Dean.

Sol Sheinbein, a patent lawyer who admitted to helping his son escape, must have known about the softer Israeli legal system.

The technicality could burn a bridge between the United States and its ally. On Capitol Hill, Rep. Robert Livingston, chairman of the House Appropriations

Committee, is considering the extradition issue as he deliberates the annual U.S. aid package to Israel. If Israel makes the wrong move, it could face financial ramifications from its biggest benefactor.

Israeli authorities now have a difficult choice to make: reverse a commonly-accepted law practice or risk threatening U.S. relations by protecting a teenager who discovered a fondness for the nation only when it became his convenient refuge. Helping Sheinbein could promote Israel as an international haven for suspected criminals, much like other Middle East countries it publicly has admonished through the years.

Ultimately, if Israel does not realize its legal duty, it should realize a moral one to the victim's family in the United States. The package that arrived in Israel late last month should be promptly boxed and labeled, "Returned to Sender."

-The writer is a senior majoring in journalism.



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TUESDAY, 10/14

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NATIONAL WILDLIFE FEDERATION EDUCATION OPEN HOUSE, Students For Enviro Action, 3-7pm, MC 410, FREE, Info? Jennifer 703-790-4236.

ACADEMIC SUCCESS SEMINAR, African-Americans United, 7pm, MC 409, FREE. Info? Christian 530-1578.

GUEST LECTURER TOPKAL, A MONK FROM "SEVEN YEARS IN TIBET," Students For Free Tibet, 7:30-9pm, Corcoran 302, FREE. Info? Nancy sft@gwis2.

CI CABINET INFO SESSION, 8pm, Thurston Piano Lounge, Info? Carrie 994-4924.

CHANGE MANAGEMENT SEMINAR, Society for Human Resource Management, 8-10pm, Lisner 325. Info? Jen 965-1106.

WEDNESDAY, 10/15

FLU SHOTS, Student Health Service, 1-4pm, MC 406, \$10 cash or check. Info? Barbara 994-6747.

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II," Academic Success
Series Workshop, Univ.
Counseling Center, 4:105:30pm, 2032 K Street,
Suite 330, FREE. Info?
994-5300.

CI CABINET INFO SESSION, 7pm, MC 415. Info? Carrie 994-4924.

COMPUTER AFFAIRS GENERAL MTG, SA, 7pm, MC 427. Info? Alex gwusa@gwis.circ.gwu.edu.

REEBOK 1-ON-1 BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP, Rec Sports, registration 7:30-8:30pm, play begins 8pm, Smith Center, FREE. Info? Aubre 994-6251.

INTERESTED IN HISTORY? Department of History, 4pm, Phillips 328/329. Info? Michael 994-6230.

THURSDAY, 10/16

CI CABINET INFO SESSION, 3pm, Thurston Piano Lounge. Info? Carrie 994-4924.

"1998: WOMEN'S CHALLENGE TO HUMAN RIGHTS FOR THE FUTURE," w/ guest lecturer Charlotte Bunch, Women's Studies Program, 3:15-5:30pm, Nat Law Center 301, FREE Info? Lori 861-1315.

GW'S WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, 10/17

ENTRY DEADLINE, INTRAMURAL 5-0N-5 BASKETBALL, Rec Sports, Smith Ctr 128. Info? Aubre 994-7546.

TROUBADOURS FALL CONCERT, Music Dept, 7:30pm, MC Theater, \$5. Info? Jessica 994-6245.

"FOOLS," Generic Theatre Company, 8pm, Downstage Lisner, \$3 students, \$5 non-students. Info? David 676-

SATURDAY, 10/18

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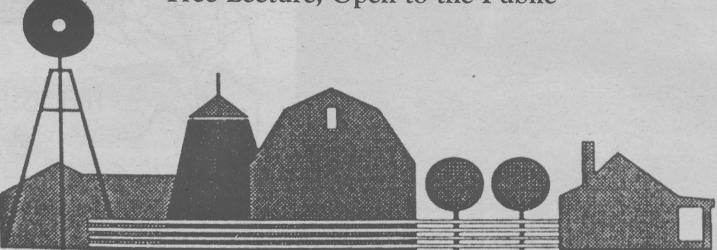
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IMPRESSIONS

Generic's One Act Festival leaves audience wanting more

by Andrea Philpot

Hatchet Reporter

The bed bounced off the floor, the movement of the people on it propelling it across the room. Moans and grunts from under the sheets left the audience alternating between laughter and gasps of shock

This scene was part of Generic Theatre's One Act Festival. The festival, which featured three one-act plays, took place Downstage at Lisner Auditorium Oct. 7-9

'Sightings," by Brad Slaight, "The Bay at Nice," by David Hare and "The Burning," by

GW senior Andrew Kozma were the three plays performed.
"The Burning" was the most enjoyable play of the festival. The play enters the dream of Terence List (Rory Haiber). Terence spends the opening five minutes talking to the audience members about his recurring dream, a dream of which they are a part.

Terence's best friend Paul (Paul Pink) enters. He says he hates being in Terence's dreams.

After a few moments of quips and barbs traded between sensible Terence and flamboyant Paul, Terence's "dream-girl" enters. Maggie (Bonnie Waggoner) is a down-to-earth girl who immediately pushes Paul and Terence around in such a fun-loving way that she entrances the audience

The climax of the performance comes when Maggie and Terence jump in bed together, with Paul watching. With the audience rolling on the floor laughing, an exasperated Paul tries hard not to look at the couple in bed.

The festival opened with "Sightings," a play about Jarred, a teenager awaiting the arrival of aliens ready to take him to another planet.

"Sightings" was meant to be a comedy, yet the only laughter won from the audience was inspired by corny lines, not scripted jokes

The acting in this play was strong. Andrew Malowitz does a superb job as Jarred Morton, a shy and odd young man. Though at moments laughter threatens to overtake him, Malowitz does an excellent job regaining his composure.

The second show, "The Bay at Nice," at about 55 minutes, was the longest play performed.

Fortunately, a well-flowing script kept it from dragging.

While all the actors gave riveting performances, the outstanding portrayal of the evening came from George Reddick, in his supporting role as the fidgety assistant museum curator.

The One Act Festival is in its first year of production, hopefully, with many more to

Jamiroquai's 'Dance Concert' fits the bill

by Becca Popkin Hatchet Reporter

Jamiroquai brought an energetic crowd to virtual insanity Oct. 2 at the George Mason University Patriot Center. Lead singer Jay Kay, decked out in one of his trademark oversized hats, walked on stage to greet a roaring audience.

Almost simultaneous with the starting beat of the first song "Hooked Up," from the album Emergency on Planet Earth (Sony), fans began throwing joints on stage for Kay. Audience members went wild, dancing and singing, and they did not stand still until the very end of the show. The concert was publicized as a dance concert, and that certainly fit the

It is practically impossible to listen to Jamiroquai and not want to dance. With a brilliant mix of '70s funk combined with '90s rock and a wide range of musical instruments, Jamiroquai has paved a unique path in the music industry.

With 10 or more performers on stage at all times, Jamiroquai

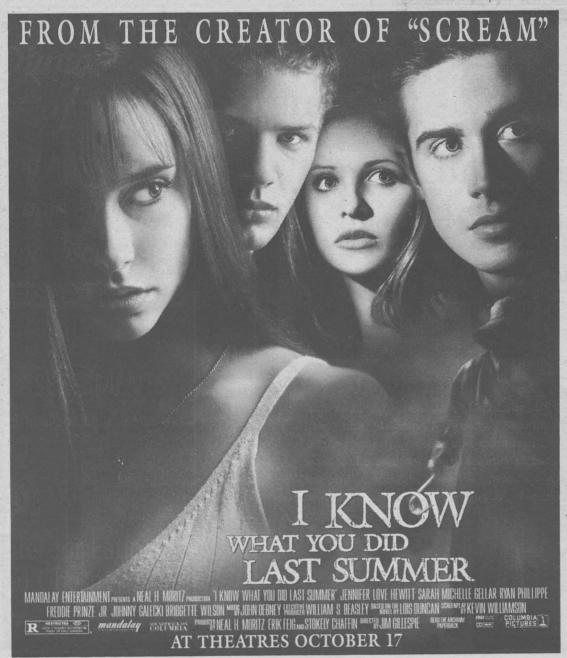
concert review improvised the beginnings and ends to its most popular songs.

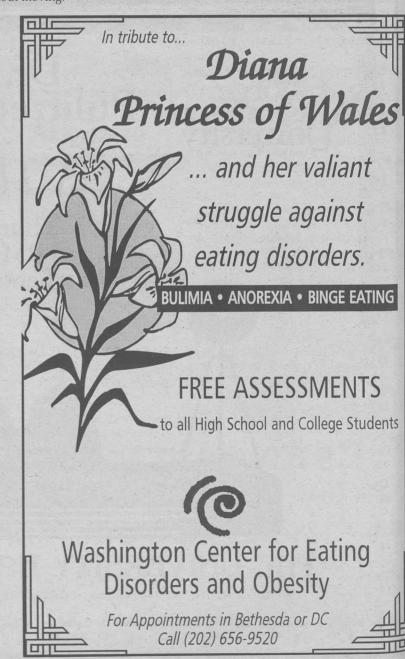
Playing many songs off its newest album *Travelling Without Moving* (Work), Jamiroquai led the audience to ecstasy with "Cosmic Girl," "Use the Force," "Alright" and "High Times." It also gave long-time fans a dose of great old-school songs like "Space Cowboy," "Mr. Moon"

One of the highlights of the show was Wallis Buchanan's playing of the Aboriginal instrument the Didgeridoo. "The Tiddaki (Didgeridoo) is a special instrument made by termites hollowing out wood over a long period of time. The magical sound gives me shivers," Wallis

Jamiroquai performed its hit song "Virtual Insanity" at the end of the show. Having just won the MTV best music video award for the song, everybody knew the words and helped the band sing. The Jamiroquai buffalo-man symbol lit the curtains on stage, and the band returned to do one encore, a new song called "Function."

Backstage, after the show, the band was chilling in a beautiful, candle-lit room with blue Christmas lights on the ceiling. Kay was walking around, greeting fans. People hung out in the room listening to music and eating catered food until the Patriot Center staff came and turned the lights on, kicking everybody out. Kay and bassist Stuart Zender took a gooseshaped gourd from the table as a souvenir. Then they were off into the night, doing more traveling without moving.





WRTV serial drama mirrors campus quirks

by Michelle Higgins Hatchet Reporter

The college is named after a former president, boasts a basketball team but no football team and is led by an ambitious student senate and a president preoccupied with the school's image.

No, it's not GW. Meet James K. Polk University, the fictional setting for the new WRTV radio drama "College Daze."

'College Daze" is the first weekly, serialized radio drama produced at GW. The show is written, directed, produced and acted by GW students. WRTV Program Director Richard Steeves is charged with getting the project off the ground.

Matt Tracy, Rich Steeves and Jason Cohen in the control room.

"College Daze" tells the life stories of a handful of Polk University students - like Lisa Miller, an idealistic freshman who attends the college on a merit-based scholarship. Another character, Shultzy, is a 27-year-old college student whose résumé includes past studies in film and human sexuality and a job composing music for porn videos.

The radio show synopsis describes Polk University (a.k.a. PU) as "a typical mid-Atlantic university, with a mediocre basketball team (the Dots), a money- and prestige-hungry president (Dr. Wannamaker), and a politically active, somewhat uptight student body."

Sound familiar? Art usually, after all, takes inspiration from life.

"There's opportunity to make commentary on GW-related projects," Steeves admitted. Polk University hosts its own tele-

vision show, "Alma Matters." The TV show is comprised of a bunch of characters played by PU students. And the PU students are, of course, played by GW students.

"It's sort of like a take off of 'Beverly Hills 90210,' " senior cast member Jenna Helwiger said.

An electronic media major and theater minor, Helwiger said her work on the radio drama is "a cool way to mix the two."

Zach Leibowitz also became involved in the radio drama because of his course of study. Leibowitz, a freshman majoring in radio and television, is getting experience both with "College Daze" and his own radio show, "Leibo's Look on Life."

"I see it as a learning experience," Leibowitz said of the drama.

Mike Andrews and Michelle Coyle both dabble in the radio drama as an extracurricular activity. Coyle, a freshman undecided on a major, has been involved in theater since age three. "College Daze" has given her a place to hone her acting skills, she said.

"I wanted an outlet for my artistic urges," Andrew said. "I thought this would be a good way." Andrews is a freshman majoring in anthropology.

Steeves said he sees the project as "a grand experiment," as well as a group effort. And the rest of the crew recognized that the drama would be



photos by David Rand/Hatchet photographe From left, Megan Warnick, Michelle Coyle, Jenna Helwig and Zach Leibowitz rehearse the "College Daze" script.

impossible without Steeves' guid-

"College Daze" was Steeves' brainchild. After talking it over with Terry Godard, station manager of WRTV, and Dave Bein, the morning show host, Steeves developed the concept, wrote the script and ran auditions with the help of the Generic Theatre Company earlier this month. "Basically Terry, Dave and I had a

meeting to see what sort of original segments we could put on the morning show so it would have some vari-"Steeves recalled. "We all thought a radio drama would be lots of fun, and a challenge. So as program director, I saw it as my responsibility to take on the task."

But Steeves has encouraged the entire staff to put their two cents in. He is "very receptive and open for suggestions," Leibowitz explained.

Now that the show is underway, Steeves is looking for more people to help out. "The doors are definitely open for anyone who wants to get "We don't want people to think this is a closed thing," "College Daze" producer Jason Cohen agreed.

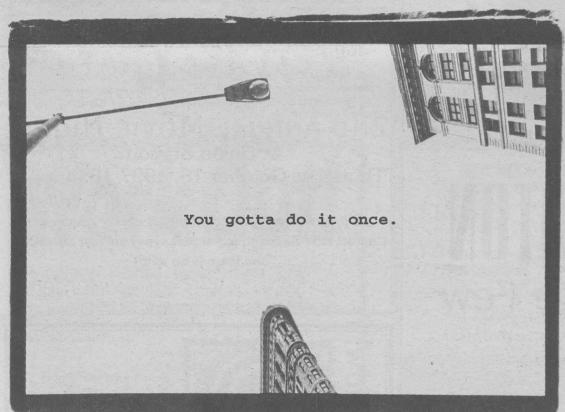
Cohen also is the Internet coordinator for the group. By working with an independent Internet provider, the group already has established itself on the Net.

The radio show's Web site now includes cast bios and a show description. "College Daze" participants plan to archive episodes at the site and use an audio program to allow visitors to listen to the episodes.

"Hopefully within the next week we will have the first episode on the Net." said Steeves.

For now they are doing a 12-15 minute show each week. "College Daze" will air twice weekly; each Wednesday on "The Daily Grind" at 10:00 a.m. and again on Friday at 3:00 p.m. Students also can tune in to "College Daze" on the Net at http://collegedaze.hermesnet.net.

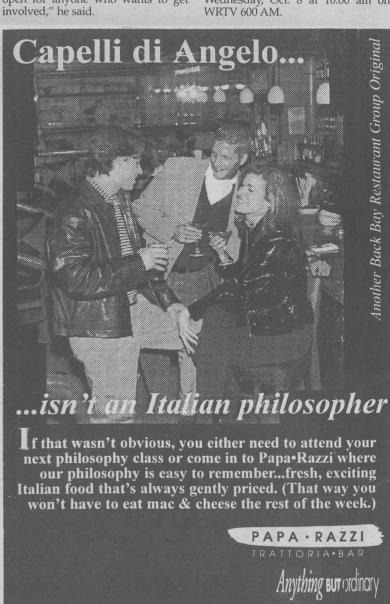
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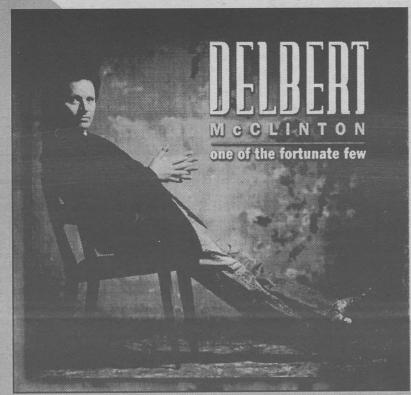


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President urges Jews to emigrate

Judaism in this country is diminishing, because of the high rate of intermarriage and the lack of cohesiveness within the different sects of Judaism," Segal said.

Audience members were allotted some time to ask questions after the student panel.

One man, an Arab Christian who called himself Husseini, got into a somewhat heated discussion with Weizman, describing how his family was driven out of his homeland more than 50 years ago by Israeli forces.

The audience booed and hissed during the man's comments. Weizman's statements were received by a warm round of applause.

"All the land that we live in we bought, and we have tried to live in with the Arabs," Weizman respond-

Then Weizman and Husseini engaged in a brief, friendly exchange

A University Police Department officer tried to return Husseini to his seat as the Weizman responded to his comments, but the man insisted on staying. Weizman intervened, yelling, "Let me talk to him! Don't disappear!"

A reporter from Fox News asked Weizman to comment on the possibility of Samuel Sheinbein, a 17-year-old from Montgomery County, Md., being deported to America to stand trial for the murder of a Maryland man. Sheinbein's father is Israeli, allowing him to flee to Israel and claim immediate Israeli citizenship, as possible under Israeli law. Israeli law prohibits the extradition of its citizens, but lawyers here are agitating for the boy's extradition so his case can be tried in the United States.

Weizman said the justice departments of both governments are working towards a compromise, and that was all he could say on the subject.

PSU protests Columbus Day

The Progressive Student Union played Native American music, offered free food and showed films from noon to 4 p.m. on the H Street Terrace to "Decommemorate Columbus Day" Monday.

PSU presented evidence of the ill treatment Native Americans received as a result of Christopher Columbus' discovery America in the late 15th

Columbus' mistreatment of indigenous people world wide and the pollution of Native American reservations by the United States government, were among topics PSU dis-

Posters decorating the terrace said "Celebrating Columbus means celebrating racism and slavery," and "Honor the dead, not the brutal con-

Western epics directed by John Ford such as Stagecoach ,starring John Wayne, played continuously in an effort to show how Hollywood unfairly portrayed Native Americans as "savage Indians."

Andrea Coudert, a PSU member, said, "Our reason for doing this event is to get people to realize that it doesn't make sense to honor a man that instituted a 500-year slave trade."

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Colonials get back on track with win and tie in A-10

by Claire Duggan Senior Sports Writer

The GW men's soccer team's prospects for making the Atlantic 10 Tournament

greatly improved this weekend with a win over nationally-ranked Massachusetts and a tie against high-powered Rhode Island.

The win and tie with two of the A-10's top teams improved GW's (4-7-1, 2-2-1 A-10) chances of finishing among the top four teams in the conference and qualifying for postsea-

son play.
"We're back in contention," junior Craig Jones said.

Senior Ben Ferry said one of the highlights of the trip was at the airport in Connecticut. It was there that the team met Bill Murray and took pictures with him.

"It topped off the trip," Ferry said.

GW 2, UMass 1

Craig Jones'led the Colonials to a 2-1 victory over their rivals, the 22nd-ranked UMass Minutemen,

"We had a very good game," Ben Ferry said. "We're happy to be back

The game was scoreless until the 23rd minute when sophomore Gavin Hewitt scored a goal off a corner kick to give the Minutemen a 1-0 lead.

At the 30-minute mark, Jones, a midfielder for the Colonials, shot a goal past UMass goalkeeper Todd Fowler from 15 yards out. Ferry received the assist on the play.

The game remained tied until the 73rd minute when, once again, Jones scored for GW with assists from Ben Hatton and Ben Ferry.

Ferry assisted on all three goals scored for the weekend, raising his assist total to 17 for the season.

Despite the fact that Ferry is only four assists away from breaking his own GW individual record of 20 assists in one season (1996), he said

he thinks it is not enough.

"What do I think? I think I need to start scoring some goals," he said.

The last few matches for GW, especially the win over highlyranked UMass, has raised the morale of the team

"Now when we step on the field, everyone believes we're going to win." Ferry said. "Everything is going really well.

GW 1, URI 1

URI, rated the best team in the A-10 by a preseason coaches' poll, did not get a win over GW despite the fact that the Colonials were playing with two less men in overtime because of ejections.

'We held them off and we didn't stop fighting," Ben Ferry said. "It was pretty frantic in the last five or 10 minutes.

Sophomore forward Marty Williams received a red card at the 106-minute mark, and freshman forward Jeff Greenspan got his second yellow card in the 103rd minute.

URI scored first in the 43rd minute with an unassisted goal by Robert Boyle.

The Colonials retaliated in the beginning of the second half with a goal from Ben Hatton on assists from Jeff Greenspan and Ben Ferry. Greenspan threw-in the ball to Ferry, who passed it to Hatton, who tied



UMass defender Cindy Gorceav slide tackles GW forward Kate McQuillin during the Colonial women's 4-0 loss Sunday.

GW loses to UMass, beats URI

by Dustin Gouker Asst. Sports Editor

The GW women's soccer team split two home matches this weekend,

defeating Rhode Island and losing to nationallyranked Massachusetts

UMass 4, GW 0

GW got more than it bargained for Sunday when 18th-ranked UMass visited South Riding Field and hand-

ed the Colonial women a 4-0 loss. The defeat was GW's first loss in the Atlantic 10 since 1994, and it also was the first time the team has been shutout this season.

UMass scored twice in the first-half after GW (7-4-2, 4-1 A-10) mishandled the ball near its own goal, making the score 2-0 heading into halftime. The Colonial women started pressing the Minutewomen and got quality offensive chances from forwards Chemar Smith and Jane Anderson late in the first half and early in the second, but failed to convert.

We had a hard time solving the

fact that they were dropping in behind us and not letting us play a counter-attacking style like we've been used to," Coach Shannon

Higgins-Cirovski said.

UMass (11-2, 7-0 A-10) put the game away with two goals spaced just nine seconds apart around the 65th minute.

GW got a scare when Smith was forced to leave the game with a possible concussion after she collided with a UMass player in the second half.

GW 4, URI 1The Colonial women dominated throughout in defeating Rhode Island 4-1, getting two goals from both Smith and Lauren Papalia Friday.

"We weren't as focused as we were against UMass," Higgins-Cirovski said. "It was nice to stick four goals, but those goals should have come in the first half instead of for the whole 90 minutes."

Smith, who scored five points in the match, has a total of 92 points in her career and is just five points away from becoming GW's all-time leading

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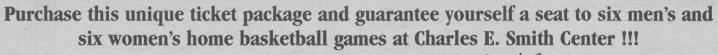
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